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National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for
Polyether Polyols Production; Correction

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Proposed rule; correction.

SUMMARY: This document corrects errors in the preamble and regulatory text for the "National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Polyether Polyols Production" which was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on September 4, 1997.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Corrections to the preamble:

In proposed rule FR Doc. 97-22364, beginning on page 46804 in the issue of September 4, 1997, make the following correction in the Supplementary Information section. On page 46805 in the

first column, replace the first and second paragraphs of the column with the following:

"The Basis and Purpose Document, which contains the rationale for the various components of the standard, is available in the docket and on the TTN. This document is entitled Hazardous Air Pollutant Emissions from the Production of Polyether Polyols -- Basis and Purpose Document for Proposed Standards, May 1997, and has been assigned document number EPA-453/R-97-010a.

Other materials related to this rulemaking are also available for review in the docket. Some of the technical memoranda have been compiled into a single document, the Supplementary Information Document (SID), to allow interested parties more convenient access to the information. The SID is entitled Hazardous Air Pollutant Emissions from the Production of Polyether Polyols-- Supplementary Information Document for Proposed Standards, May 1997, and has been assigned document number EPA-453/R-97-010c."

In the same proposed rule document, under Discussion of Major Issues, on page 46815 in the second column, replace the second sentence of the second paragraph with the following:

"The approach used for determining these emission factors is explained in Docket No. A-96-38, Item No. II-B-6."

Corrections to the regulatory text:

In the same proposed rule document, in section 63.1423(b), on page 46824 in the second column, replace the definition for Group 1 wastewater stream with the following:

"Group 1 wastewater stream means a process wastewater stream at an existing or new affected source that meets the criteria for Group 1 status in §63.132(c) of subpart G, with the exceptions listed in §63.1433(a)(10) for the purposes of this subpart (i.e., for organic HAP listed on Table 4 of this subpart only)."

In the same proposed rule document, in section 63.1423(b), on page 46826 in the first column, replace the definition for Wastewater with the following:

"Wastewater means water that: (1) contains either (a) an annual average concentration of organic HAP listed in Table 4 of this subpart of at least 5 parts per million by weight and has an annual average flow rate of 0.02 liter per minute or greater or (b) an annual average concentration of organic HAP listed on Table 4 of this subpart of at least 10,000 parts per million by weight at any flow rate, and that (2) is discarded from a PMPU that is part of an affected source. Wastewater is process wastewater or maintenance wastewater."

In the same proposed rule document, under Process Vent Control Requirements, on page 46827 in the second column, replace section 63.1425(d) with the following:

"Requirements for Nonepoxide Organic HAP Emissions From Catalyst Extraction. The owner or operator of an existing affected source where polyether polyol products are produced using epoxide compounds shall reduce emissions of nonepoxide organic HAP from the sum total of all process vents associated with catalyst extraction by an aggregated 90 percent for each PMPU. The owner or operator of a new affected source where polyether polyol products are produced using epoxide compounds shall reduce emissions of nonepoxide organic HAP from the sum total of all process vents associated with catalyst extraction by an aggregated 98 percent for each PMPU. A PMPU that does not use any nonepoxide organic HAP in catalyst extraction is exempt from the requirements of this paragraph."

In the same proposed rule document, under Wastewater Provisions, on page 46843 in the first and second columns, replace section 63.1433(a)(2) with the following:

"When §§63.132 through 63.149 of subpart G refer to table 9 or table 36 of subpart G, the owner or operator shall only consider organic HAP listed in table 9 or table 36 of subpart G that are

also listed on table 4 of this subpart, for the purposes of this subpart. Owners and operators are exempt from all requirements in §§63.132 through 63.149 of subpart G that pertain solely and exclusively to organic HAP listed on table 8 of subpart G. In addition, when §§63.132 through 63.149 of subpart G refer to List 1, List 2, and/or List 3, as listed in table 36 of subpart G, the owner or operator shall only consider organic HAP contained in those lists that are also listed on table 4 of this subpart, for the purposes of this subpart."

Date

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